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CLUB RATES.

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Courier-Journal	\$1.00
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Auditor Coulter has refused to pay a number of witness claims presented by the Sheriff of Bell county. Among the claims in a felony case were witness fees and mileage for witnesses who were summoned for the defendant.

Henry Watterson, editor of the Courier-Journal, Robert J. Breckinridge, W. S. Pryor, a member of the Court of Appeals, and the present incumbent, Gov. Beckham are candidates for the Democratic nomination for Governor of Kentucky.

The government of twenty mountain counties cost the State \$508,899.22 and they only pay into the Treasury \$171,024.36. If there were as many voters in those counties as the census gave them, and they paid their poll tax, there would be no deficiency to make up.—Ex.

In a number of cities insurance men are talking of a crusade against Christmas trees. So many fires are started by them they say there will either have to be a change in the policies prohibiting Christmas trees or else have it understood that no losses will be paid on fires resulting from the trees.

Suit has been filed against former State Treasurer Walter R. Day and Auditor John Sweeney to recover into the State Treasury \$28,224.52 alleged to have been illegally paid out by them in January and February, 1900, after the killing of William Goebel for the support of State troops called to Frankfort by W. S. Taylor. The Fidelity and Deposit Company, of Baltimore, which supplied their bond, is made party defendant to the action.

Kentucky Industries.

The preliminary census report on the manufacturing industries of Kentucky shows the capital invested in industries in the State to be \$104,030,791, an increase of 30 per cent. since 1890. There were 9,559 establishments and 63,206 wage earners earning \$22,430,958 in total wages, and \$109,577,809 is paid for miscellaneous expenses annually. The cost of the material in a year is \$82,769,955, and the value of the products is \$154,590,069, an increase of 22 per cent. in 10 years.

In Mercer county, Leslie Shewmaker shot and fatally wounded his cousin, George Shewmaker, because of their rivalry for the hand of a young lady.

SPOUTSPRING.

Miss Tusculum White closed her school at this place Saturday.

W. G. Hawkins, of Noland's Creek, was here Wednesday on business.

Mrs. Nannie Pryor, of Fox, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Joe Cosby this week.

Samuel Embs returned Sunday from a visit to his Uncle, Newton Abney at Kiddville.

Jack Puckett delivered to J. W. Dawson at this place a load of corn at \$2.75 per barrel.

John Bennett, of this place, was visiting John Stuart and family at Irvine the first of the week.

Louis Puckett sold to Eld. N. McIntosh a fat hog weighing 240 pounds at 5 cents per pound.

D. R. Hasting, of Winchester, has been here this week putting up a monument for J. E. Burgher, Sr.

Miss Nora D. Patterson closed her school at Kimbrell's Chapel Friday and returned to her home at Millersburg.

Died, Tuesday, Dec. 10, William, son of Wm. Stone, aged about sixteen years, of brain fever. Burial at the Poer burying ground Thursday.

Green B. Spry, who left this county for Illinois last March, has returned to this his native county and has decided to make his future home here.

Snow Creek.

Luther Martin bought a sow and pigs from Milton Parrish for \$18.

Rev. Lowry filled his regular appointment Saturday and Sunday.

Ab Vivion and wife were visiting relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

The Viena school closed Tuesday with an interesting entertainment.

R. Thomas has sold his farm to Tighman Pigg for \$1,000 Possession March 1st.

Virgil, the little daughter of Jack Eads, has been quite ill, but is improving.

Mrs. Martha Martin has returned home after an extensive visit to relatives in Clark county.

Jack Parker, who has been very low with typhoid fever for some time, we are glad to say, is up again.

Mrs. James Vaughn visited her daughter, Mrs. William Tuttle, near Winchester several days the past week.

G. P. Hoskin Crippled.

A clipping from the Denison, Texas Herald conveys the information concerning the wreck on a M. K. & T. train on which G. Post Hoskin, formerly of this place, was conductor and was thrown from his train, cutting one of his hands off and bruising him up considerably. The paper speaks in the highest terms of Mr. Hoskin. His numerous friends in this county greatly sympathize with him in his loss. He is a son of Mr. Wm. A. Hoskins, of this place.

Oil Notes.

The oil wells near Conway and Berea are each down to a depth of about 300 feet without oil or gas in quantities. The owners will go to a depth of 1,000 feet at least before becoming discourag-

ed. A "wing" well has been brought in at the Slaughter farm near Glasgow which produces eight barrels per hour of the finest quality of amber oil. The strike was made at a depth of 275 to 300 feet, said to be in shale overlying the Trenton limestone. Numerous wells are under contract in the Glasgow field and great developments are looked for.

Bath county has brought in another well near Raglan said to be the best yet found. The field is handicapped for want of an outlet for oil. The oil produced here is from the Clinton rock, underlying the Devonair Black Shale and Cornifirus limestone and shales. It is the finest grade of lubricating oil.

Madison and Estill counties will in the near future be searched by the drill and great expectations are based on the result. Oil is confidently expected in great abundance. — Kentucky Register.

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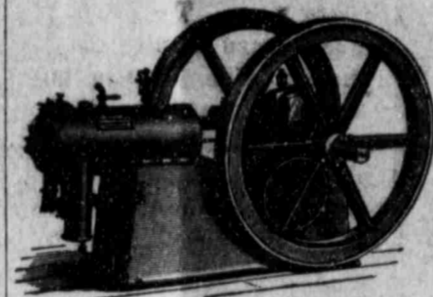
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